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From: Austen Williams
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To: PSC_Contact
Subject: [External] Deny Dominion Energy Proposal- Docket Number: 2020-229-E

To whom it may concern,

I am disappointed to have learned Dominion Energy has proposed a plan that would add significant monthly electric fees to people, like me, who have made the decision to do our part in protecting the environment through the use of residential solar energy systems. This proposal changes the terms of the solar deal that my family made when we committed to purchasing a solar energy system and makes it more difficult for everyday people to participate in clean energy endeavors. Solar energy not only benefits the environment, but our system also inputs energy into the electric grid, benefitting Dominion Energy and our community at large.

There are currently seven Dominion Energy solar farms in South Carolina, demonstrating the benefit of solar energy for Dominion. According to their [website](#), "Solar energy is the key to Dominion Energy's clean energy growth." With that in mind, Dominion is producing solar energy for themselves while simultaneously charging consumers for creating systems that produce the same kind of energy, even though these residential systems provide Dominion with additional energy that they then charge consumers to use. Dominion should be partnering with consumers to produce clean energy instead of charging them for it. This is unacceptable.

I ask that you deny Dominion's proposal and continue to support green energy efforts that benefit citizens and the environment.

Sincerely,

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